

Attorney Docket No. 40149/01501 (067P 0750)

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Stein & Partner GmbH, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the invention entitled "**Method and Device for Trenchless Laying of Pipelines**", for which U.S. Patent Application is being filed herewith; and which claims priority to **PCT Patent Appln. Serial No. PCT/EP2004/012954** filed on **November 11, 2004** and **DE Patent Appln. Serial No. 103 56696.1** filed on **November 28, 2003** hereby appoints attorneys associated with USPTO Customer No. 30636 as its attorneys/agents with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Please address all communications regarding this application to:

Customer No. 30636
Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP
150 Broadway, Suite 702
New York, New York 10038

Please direct all telephone calls to Oleg F. Kaplun at (212) 619-6000 Ext. 203 or via email at Okaplun@fkmiplaw.com.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the assignee.

Dated: 09/06/2006

Stein & Partner GmbH

By: 

Name: ROBERT STEIN

Title: Dipl.-Ing. / CEO

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Stein & Partner GmbH
Ingenieurgesellschaft
Konrad-Zuse-Straße 6
44801 Bochum